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TOWN AND COUNTRY

About Local People and Events and Other Matters of Interest

For rent—Pasture on the W. L. Sensintaffar farm. Henry Culbertson.

Regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors at Woodmen hall on Friday afternoon of this week.

Regular services at the Baptist church next Sunday, Rev. Ralph Craig, the new pastor, preaching morning and evening.

We have a quantity of good Jonathan apples and are booking orders for delivery at picking time. E. W. Pease, phone 37.

Mrs. Resin Wilkins and two children of Walnut, Kans., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Neal north of Laclede.

Geo. Wade, who lives north of town recently purchased a fine new Brunswick phonograph through Fay Luyster of Rusk Music Store, Brookfield.

Henry Culbertson who rented the Mrs. Mollie Sensintaffar farm and moved here from Shelby county, called Saturday and joined our route three list.

All are cordially invited to attend services at the M. E. church next Sunday to see the new preacher who will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening. All other services as usual.

F. R. Power of the Power Garage, has taken the agency for the Fordson tractors and will soon be prepared to figure with those who expect to use this economical, dependable farm power.

H. C. Carothers, of The Home Store, has a very timely announcement on our fourth page today. The season of stoves is here and this store has taken the subject in hand in time and has a large stock ready for your inspection.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will hold its regular session at the home of Mrs. F. W. Burke next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. This is the first meeting of the year and all members and friends should be present. Special program is being prepared.

Jacob Boesiger, who recently sold his farm on route three, has bought a 93 acre farm near Union Mills, Ind., and will move to that place next spring. This good family likes Missouri all right but are returning to Indiana to be nearer relatives of Mrs. Boesiger.

E. R. Barton, who recently sold his farm three miles northwest of Laclede, will hold a public sale of stock, farm implements and feed on Thursday, October 2, to begin at 10:00 o'clock. The particulars of the sale may be had by reading his advertisement in The Blade today. Mr. and Mrs. Barton are to move to Liberty where they have bought a home.

Manager Patterson sent a car of cattle and hogs to the St. Joseph market Tuesday evening for the following members of the shipping association: J. L. Ritchey, Dan Holmes, J. T. Davis, Frank Fain, Roy Crist, S. L. McGarraugh, Byron Lamme, E. E. Berry, O. A. Potter, Mrs. Mary Baskin, Ralph Neal, F. B. Day, J. H. Peer, Wm. Perkins, H. H. Hawes, J. R. Hawes, A. G. Groes, Geo. Swearingen, Geo. L. Farrar, Geo. W. Anderson accompanied the shipment.

W. C. T. U. Convention

On Monday and Tuesday of last week the W. C. T. U. county convention was held at the Baptist church in Meadville, Mrs. Leah McNulty of Brookfield, presiding. Meadville, Linneus, Laclede and Brookfield were represented. Miss Rowena Shaner, state vice president, was present and gave an address.

In the W. C. T. U. Miss Frances Willard started a do-everything club. For years it has reached out into work which does house to house teaching among foreign speaking women is both home and foreign work. Also the Chinese through their representatives are begging the people of the United States to deliver them from the promised advent of American breweries. Special workers are now being sent them and reports of good work among government officials by educating Chinese women are already returning from the field. All this is being taken care of by the jubilee fund which the American women and others are working for. Forty-three nations are now working for world prohibition.

Miss Shaner and Mrs. McNulty both returned from Meadville in time to pay the Laclede W. C. T. U. a visit at their regular meeting Tuesday.

Football at Chillicothe

The football season opens at the Chillicothe Business College Friday, September 26, against the strong Missouri Wesleyan College team from Cameron.

Missouri Wesleyan has won the state college championship in the last two years and has practically all of her old men back.

Coach Neel of C. B. C. has been busy for the last week putting the finishing touch on his team for this game.

The athletic committee is having additions built to the bleachers and arranging parking space for cars in order to handle the large crowd expected.

The game will be call at 2:30. C. E. McBride, sporting editor of the Kansas City Star will referee the game and Dr. Anderson, also of Kansas City will umpire.

Motor Tour Coming

A bunch of fifty cars representing the Motor Car Dealers Association of Kansas City are scheduled to be in Laclede next Tuesday afternoon on their seventh annual trade and good roads boosting tour. The pathfinding car was here Tuesday. The tourists go from Carrollton to Brookfield where they take dinner and go from there to St. Joseph over the Pershing Transport Route.

A. B. Henderson was on the Kansas City market last week and bought a double deck car of breeding ewes and lambs for his farm on route one. The stock was unloaded here Monday.

Guardian's Notice

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of September, 1919, the undersigned M. P. Benson, was by the Probate Court of Linn County, Missouri, appointed Guardian of the Person and Estate of Henry Deets: a person of unsound mind, and that on the date above mentioned a Certificate of Appointment as such guardian was granted me, M. P. Benson, by the Judge of said Court.

All persons having claims against the estate of said Henry Deets are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within one year after the date of granting said certificate, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of granting said certificate, they shall be forever barred.

M. P. BENSON, Guardian.
(Seal)
Attest: Arthur L. Pratt, Judge of Probate.

ON LOCAL SUBJECTS

Local Items and Interesting Bits of News of All Sorts

The soldier boys who attend the Pershing reception here will be well taken of. The Linn County Chapter of the American Red Cross will erect a large tent on the railroad grounds where a free dinner will be served to all soldiers, sailors and marines who are in uniform.

The clerk of the local Modern Woodman camp has received notice from Rock Island that the \$3,000 claim on the death of Harry E. Maybee was allowed at the September meeting of the board of directors and the benefit order in payment thereof was mailed out Monday. The amount is divided equally between the four children.

Uncle Isaac Clough made his annual visit to this office Saturday renewing the four subscriptions he has kept on our mailing list a number of years. In addition to his own he sends the paper to J. H. Clough, Sumner; Mrs. Sellers at Wheeling, and J. E. Sensintaffar, De Ridder, La. Mr. Clough has a fine farm and elegant home and although getting along in years takes an active part in the management and enjoys doing so.

When asked as to the amount of grain being handled by his firm this season, Manager W. E. Shell of the Talbot grain company, glanced over his books and found he had already sent out from the several buying stations under his jurisdiction 133 cars, most of which was wheat and timothy seed. The wheat amounted to 216,291 bushels for which he paid to the farmers the sum of \$428,490.86. Timothy seed, 51,057 bushels, amounting to \$25,005.16. All this was handled through the Laclede office.

The members of the P. E. O. spent a most delightful afternoon Wednesday when they motored to the pretty country home of Mrs. E. E. Cowan north of Laclede where the regular meeting was held. Mrs. Bigger gave an interesting lesson on Women in Music and Mrs. Cowan rendered several delightful musical numbers. Mrs. Nellie Bruns of Anaheim, Cal., and Mrs. Louise Lippitt of Meadville were non-resident members present and Mrs. Louise Kuhn was a guest during the social hour. The hostess served dainty refreshments.

Miss Marguerite Mouser writes The Blade that while attending the movies in Oklahoma City the other night she was surprised to see some of her Laclede relatives and friends on the screen. Among those she recognized were H. C. Lomax, Mayor Allen, C. C. Bigger, Aunt Susan Hewitt and the editor of The Blade. It also showed the M. E. church, both the old and the new building, the Pershing home, street scenes and other places of the town. It was the Pershing pictures made here a few weeks ago by a representative of the International Film Service and was shown to General Pershing on his arrival in New York. She says the pictures were fine.

Residence Property in Demand

There is an increasing demand for homes in Laclede and about all the way there is to get one is to buy. Renters are being crowded out and the only thing for them to do is to become a property owner. Several sales have been made the past week.

T. H. Barbee on Monday sold the J. W. Haight residence property in the east part of town to Garland Duncan for \$2,500, possession next March.

A. S. Byrd has bought the Mrs. Geo. Davis property just northeast of the school house. It will be occupied by his daughter, Mrs. Catherine Libby and children after some repairs are made.

J. T. Disney has bought the J. N. Wilson residence property of Miss Bea Dick. It is now undergoing repairs after which Mr. and Mrs. Disney will take up their permanent residence there.

W. S. Savage this week sold the J. S. Williams place of 20 acres in the northwest suburbs of town to Willis Case of Brookfield for \$6,000. Mr. Case has brought and sold several places and made money at it but has taken this one off the market and will occupy it, getting possession sometime this fall. As to the plans of Mr. Williams and family we are not advised.

Reading Circle Meeting

Miss Laura Love was hostess to the American Reading Circle Thursday evening, a large number responding to roll call.

The Circle has taken up the chautauqua course for the study and expects to do some splendid work this year.

The membership regrets to lose one of their good, faithful and capable members, Mrs. E. R. Barton, who is soon to leave for her new home at Liberty.

During the social hour the hostess, assisted by Mrs. O. A. Potter, served delectable refreshments.

Next meeting with Mrs. E. E. Gould, Tuesday evening of next week.

Settlement Notice

Having sold my furniture and undertaking business I wish to close my books as soon as possible and request those knowing themselves indebted to me to please call and make settlement at once. I will be at the store for a short while and expect all owing me to call at their earliest convenience.

E. THURMAN.

For Sale

My house with pasture adjoining in the southwest part of Laclede. R. L. Stratton.

House For Sale

For sale—7 room house; lot 70x200 feet. Inquire of John Nelson, Laclede.

Oiling Bills

The tax-books for the oiling of the city streets are now in the hands of the city treasurer at Lomax & Standly Bank. All parties owing for oil will call there and settle. After a reasonable time all bills not paid will be certified to county records and will draw 8 per cent interest. E. B. ALLEN, Mayor.

For Sale

Duroc Jersey boar pigs farrowed April 14, 1919. Sired by a grandson of Pathfinder 181615. As good pigs as you will find in Linn county. One mile south of Laclede. J. T. McKanna.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Brief Mention of Those Who Come and Go During the Week

Paul Carothers is here from Walnut, Kansas, spending a week with relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. W. Haight and Mrs. Grace Barber of Brookfield spent Monday afternoon in Laclede.

Mrs. Ida Goldsmith of Lafayette, Indiana, visited relatives and old time friends in Laclede this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Thurman motored to Atlanta Wednesday and spent the day attending the fair.

Mrs. J. L. Carothers, of Las Animas, Col., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Brown.

Judge O. F. Libby attended an Odd Fellows reception at Shelby Monday night and visited his son, Attorney H. J. Libby, and family.

After a two weeks visit with relatives and friends here, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wigle returned to their home at Sulphur Springs, Texas, Tuesday.

Mrs. Mollie E. Sensintaffar, after spending several days here with friends and transacting business, returned to Columbia Tuesday.

Karl Jones and his mother, Mrs. H. M. Jones, have returned from spending several weeks with Paul Jones and Herbert Allen and their families at Russell Springs, Kansas.

A. E. Johnston was at Monroe City Wednesday to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Jay Henderson, wife of the junior member of the firm of Henderson & Sons Produce Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jones and children of Walnut, Kans., accompanied by two other cars from that place, made a short visit among old time friends here Tuesday, and then proceeded to Moberly to visit relatives.

The September meeting of the L. C. N. club was held at the hospitable home of Mrs. Geo. W. Anderson when a most delightful day was spent by those who were fortunate enough to be present. The October meeting will be held with Mrs. Carlos Anderson on Thursday, the 9th.

Before returning from the annual conference held at Marysville last week, Rev. and Mrs. Layton went to Kansas City for a short visit with their son, Major Layton, who has just returned from overseas. He is attached to the medical department of the regular army and is home on a furlough.

Rev. T. J. Eneyart, a former pastor of the Laclede M. E. church who has been stationed at Linneus the past few years, has retired from active service and placed on the supernannated list by the annual conference. Mr. and Mrs. Eneyart will make their home at Baldwin, Kans., where they own residence property.

W. S. Summers of St. Joseph spent a few hours with old friends in Laclede Tuesday. He is employed by a tractor company and had been to Dean Lake to put a bunch of machines in operation and took advantage of the opportunity to visit his old home town. While here he called and ordered The Blade for a year.